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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 16079.2a.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Richard Neumann)
Serial No.: 10/049,867) Art Unit
Filed: July 2, 2002) 2857
Conf. No.: 2445)
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR TESTING)
THE LOAD OF AT LEAST ONE IP-BASED DEVICE)
Examiner: Felix E. Suarez)
Customer No.: 022913)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated February 24, 2004, in the above-identified patent application be extended for one-month until June 24, 2004.

Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in

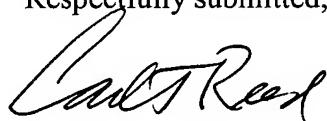
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connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Dated this 24th day of June 2004.

Respectfully submitted,



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